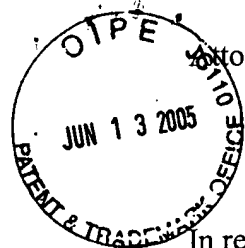


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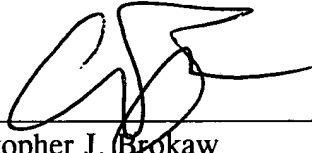
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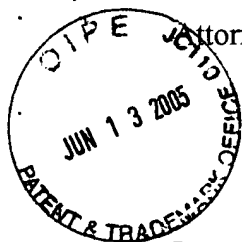
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**REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION**

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In reply to the first Office Action mailed March 9, 2005, the shortened statutory period for which runs until June 9, 2005, please reconsider the subject application in light of the remarks made herein.